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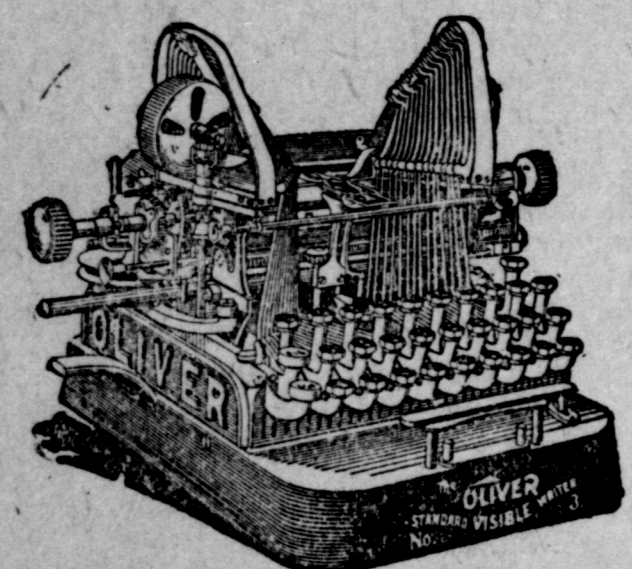
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REMOVAL. Dr. John B. Mackenzie has removed his office to the residence, lately occupied by Mrs. Alexander Robinson on St. John Street, where he may be found at all hours. Chatham, July 7, 1904.

\$25.00 REWARD. I will pay the above reward for such information as will lead to the detection and conviction of the person or persons who broke into my store on Sunday night last.

J. D. B. F. MACKENZIE, Chatham, N. B., June 13th, 1904.

Miramichi Advance.

CHATHAM, N. B., SEPTEMBER 1, 1904.

The Sun and Northumberland Politics.

The St. John Sun pretends to be offended over the ADVANCE'S intimation of last week that Mr. Robinson, M. P. for Northumberland would, for reasons which we stated, return to the Liberal party.

The Sun will not, with all its hardihood, deny that Mr. Robinson was accepted as a candidate in the last Dominion election by many leading Liberals of Northumberland on the recommendation of Hon. Mr. Blair, late Minister of Railways.

It was understood that Mr. Robinson, although he had not appeared as a Liberal in the House of Commons, had not voted against that party on some important questions, and it was also known that he had given loyal assistance to Mr. Blair on several occasions when the issues involved were colorably party ones.

In the election of 1900, Mr. Robinson, as we have said, was the candidate of Mr. Blair's friends. He was understood to be an independent up to within a few days of the election, when a few ultra conservatives met him in Chatham and made him believe that unless he declared himself a conservative he would lose the vote of that party.

Mr. E. D. Smith, another prominent Conservative, who vies with Mr. Haggart in endeavors to show that it is he who should be Minister of Railways if the Conservative again get in power, demonstrated the feeling of that party in the matter by saying of the Canada Eastern:

"The truth is that this line will be an everlasting burden upon the people of this country. If its purchase would be beneficial to the people along the road, or to the people of any part of this Dominion, I would not hesitate to approve of its purchase by the government, even though it should be a loss, but its purchase benefits no one except the private individual who has it to sell."

Then came Mr. Kemp. He is a wrestler with railway problems on the Conservative side. He said: "This railway is a white elephant on the hands of its present owners and the Government has no valid excuse for paying this exorbitant sum of money for it. I enter my protest against the whole transaction."

"I do not quite appreciate the reasons, which have induced the government to enter into this enterprise. I am sure that the minister himself would have been the first to concede that there are many other roads in the Maritime Provinces which come within every possible reach which he has suggested to the committee as justification for the government taking over this road."

A recent article on "A Divided Christianity," which appeared in a certain North Shore paper, indicates that Marie Corelli has assumed the editorial chair of that publication.

Illustration of a house divided against itself is furnished in the following paragraph from "Events." "The Newcastle Advocate is booming James Robinson, M. P., for the vacant senatorship. What a waste of energy."

The conditions in Northumberland in the last federal election do not now exist and the people of the county realize it. Conservatives and Liberals alike have taken note of the attitude of the two parties towards the province of New Brunswick and those who imagined that reasonable consideration

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The Fredericton Gleaner says. The St. John Sun adheres to the notion that Mr. Robinson of Northumberland will continue to give his support to the Conservative party.

An Ottawa despatch of last Thursday says: "Complete trade returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1904, have just been completed. They show that Canadian trade last year was \$472,733,000, against 467,064,000 the previous year and \$239,025,000 in 1896."

The season for feather-d and other small game generally, opens today, with the following exception: Partridge—which it is not lawful to kill in any manner before the fifteenth day of September 1905.

The penalty for breaking the law regarding partridge is \$10 per bird taken, or for the detection of any person hunting same. The penalty for hunting any game whatever on Sunday is double that for killing game on any week-day in the close season.

Tuesday's St. John Telegraph says: David Russell vanguard tendered to Hon. William Pugsley a complimentary banquet at the Grand Hotel, Caledonia Springs, on Oct. 6th. The occasion will be non-political. The following are Mr. Russell's telegram of invitation and Mr. Pugsley's reply:

"Boston, August 29th, 1904. To Hon. William Pugsley, St. John, N. B. We alone Grand Hotel, Caledonia Springs, for the season, October first. I tender you a complimentary non-political dinner on October sixth. Five hundred invitations will be sent out. Special trains to convey guests from Montreal to Springs. Tickets will be provided for our Ottawa and New Brunswick friends. Will you accept? Wire reply Hotel Touraine.

"To David Russell, 'Hotel Touraine,' Boston."

Your telegram received. I esteem it a very great honor, and will be much pleased to accept. WILLIAM PUGSLEY.

It is General Hutton Now. Minister of Defense Dawson, a member of ex-Premier Watson's Labor Cabinet of Australia, answering General Hutton, charges the General with gross insolence when interviewing a Minister on official questions.

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The St. John Sun received with much satisfaction the news that the lumber cut in the province this season will not be more than half that of last year. We assume that it will also be quite delighted that men's wages will not be as high this year as last.

The War.

A St. Petersburg despatch of Tuesday afternoon says: The operations around Liao Yang have undergone a complete change. Owing to the delay in the concentration of General Kuropatkin's army as a result of the terrible condition of the roads the Japanese seized the opportunity to attack the slow moving corps and severe fighting occurred August 27-28 in which the Russians lost another thousand men and now probably will have to accept a general engagement.

General Kuropatkin himself describes the latest phase of the hostilities in a long despatch to the emperor from a point on the railroad a few miles south of Liao Yang, where practically the whole army was assembled and awaited battle.

The Russian losses in the fighting of Aug. 25 and 26 east and south of Liao Yang were 3,000 killed or wounded. The great majority of the casualties were sustained at Anping.

The Japanese column moving up the Liao River and threatening General Kuropatkin from the west is regarded as being extremely dangerous, and Gen. Kuroki's right seems also to be working around General Henschelmann's position at Anping and to be moving toward Mukden.

A Tokio despatch of Tuesday says: The Japanese lost 2,000 men killed or wounded at the battle of Anping. The Russian losses have not been estimated, but it is believed that they were heavy. Japanese captured 8 guns at Anping and 8 at Anshanshan.

A Liao Yang despatch of Tuesday indicates that the great battle of the war is in progress, the Japanese having apparently determined to take that stronghold and thus deal a crushing blow to General Kuropatkin, who has selected this place as the great battle ground of the war. A telegram from General Kuropatkin gives the details of the Russian retreat—or "falling back" on Liao Yang, which was, as usual accomplished "in good order" and "for strategic reasons."

show that we export about 57 per cent. of our production. Of the \$3,081,441 worth exported by Canada in 1903, Great Britain took \$865,826, the United States \$1,890,448, and other countries \$248,107.

Remind our contemporary that the curtailment of the operations this fall will not affect the revenue of this fiscal year which ends on the 31st of October. It may, and no doubt will, affect the revenue next year. But why should it glory in the present? The fault is not with any of its political opponents; it certainly does not lie with the lumbermen of whom the Sun has said they are friends of the Government. It cannot get any political advantage out of the situation.

It is in its Liverpool notes, the London Timber Trades Journal of 20th ult says: "The timber trade in almost all its branches is in a dull and almost lifeless condition. We have written for weeks past that business was on the down grade and it still continues so. We fear we are by no means at the bottom yet, and that we shall see still further depression all round. This is a self-evident fact, and we see public sales of pitch pine timber and deals spruce and pine deals offered for sale by auction. When times were good we were not disturbed by this method of disposal, and it is a clear indication of the badness of the present condition when the brokers have to resort to auction cargoes of both these goods."

With regard to spruce deals from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, sales on c. i. f. terms are made with difficulty, even at lower prices than we have known for some time past. For instance, we know of a cargo from Shediac, N. B. sold last week at \$25.15 c. i. f. This is the lowest mark touched so far.

The sale held yesterday (Friday) by A. F. & D. Mackay, will indicate the present position of spruce deals. The cargo they offered ex "Rigout," is from Hopewell Cape, N. B., which is usually a good class of spruce, and should furnish a sound basis for prices for shipments from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. We shall give particulars of this sale in our next issue.

Canadian Pulp Industry. The figures published by the Dominion Statian as to the extent of the pulp industry in Canada show a remarkable development in a comparatively new field.

The industry during the calendar year 1903 was carried on by 39 mills, which had an output of 275,619 tons of wood pulp. Of this quantity 187,871 tons were mechanical pulp, 84,808 sulphite, and 2,940 soda. The corresponding quantities for 1902 were: Mechanical, 156,210 tons; sulphite, 76,735 tons, and soda 9,044 tons. This shows an increase of 34,639 tons in 1903. The increase in sulphite was 8,073 and in mechanical 32,601 tons, soda showing a decrease of 6,104 tons. The total value of the output of 1903 was \$5,219,892. This would have been considerably greater but for the collapse of the Sulphite industries, of which pulp-making was one of the most important.

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